

Emerging Issues Forum

April 12-13 | Omaha, NE

THURSDAY, APRIL 12 | Day 1

- 11-1 **Registration & Check-In**
- Noon **Boxed Lunch | Networking**
- 1 **Welcome**
Gov. Pete Ricketts, State of Nebraska (unconfirmed)
- 1:15 **Biofuel Policy Discussion: Trump Administration Impacts on Ethanol Production & Marketing**
*Introduction: Troy Bredenkamp, Renewable Fuels Nebraska
Douglas Durante, Clean Fuels Development Coalition
Graham Noyes, Noyes Law Corporation
Steve Seabrook, POET Ethanol Products
Robert White, Renewable Fuels Association*
- 2:30 **Carbon Counting and Accessing LCFS Markets: Agronomic Input Modeling & Accounting**
*Moderator: Jim Ramm, EcoEngineers
Steffen Mueller, University of Illinois
Ron Alverson, Dakota Ethanol College of Carbon Calculations*
- 3:30 **Break | Networking**
- 3:45 **Fractionation and Separation Technology Options**
Jeff Scharping, ICM
- 4:15 **Bio-Based Products and Projects**
*Moderator: Hunter Flodman, UNL Department of Chemical Engineering
Luca Zullo, Greenyug*
- 5 **Presentation of Field to Fuel Video Contest & Special Recognition**
Megan Grimes, Nebraska Ethanol Board
- 5:30 **Networking Reception**

FRIDAY, APRIL 13 | DAY 2

- 7:30 **Breakfast**
- 8 **Welcome**
David Gardels, Husch Blackwell
- 8:10 **Trade Policy and the Impact on Ethanol and DDG Exports**
Moderator: Roger Berry, Nebraska Corn Board
Mike Dwyer, U.S. Grains Council
- 9 **Evaluating Investment in New Technologies**
Moderator: Jake Joraanstad, Bushel
Kalpesh Parekh, Novozymes North America
- 9:45 **Ethanol Marketing Challenges – 2018 and Beyond**
Moderator: Ron Lamberty, American Coalition for Ethanol
E15 & Higher Blends: Lessons Learned (The Minnesota Experience)
Greg Gust, Minnesota Biofuels Association
Flex Fuel Marketing Experiences: A New Look
Randy Gard, Bosselman Enterprises
- 10:15 **RINs and the Impact on Obligated Parties**
Moderator: Doug Durante, Clean Fuels Development Coalition
Roger Read, Wells Fargo
- 10:45 **Octane & Higher Ethanol Blends: Meeting Vehicle Performance Standards**
Moderator: Doug Durante, Clean Fuels Development Coalition
Ernie Shea, Ag-Auto-Ethanol Alliance
- 11:15 **Biofuels & Public Health**
Introduction: Greg Youell, Metropolitan Area Planning Agency
Sasha Forsen, Edeniq
- Noon **Adjourn**

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